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CROSSFIELD, ALBERTA, THURSDAY, MARCH 4th, 1920.

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## WM. LAUT

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**: Local and General :**

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Watters attended the Agricultural Fairs Association Convention held in Edmonton on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Bert and Eddie Wolejda spent last week-end under the parental roof, returning to the city, Sunday afternoon.

Dame Rumour hath said that Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hall will shortly arrive in Crossfield, let us accept the Boy Scout's Motto "Be Prepared" to give them a rousing reception.

A St. Patrick's Tea and Sale of Home Cooking will be held in the Cowling Block, on Saturday, March 13th, under the auspices of Women's Guild.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Bailey have taken up residence in the house next to Jessiman's, situate on Osler St.

Miss Ada Whitfield left on Tuesday afternoon to spend a few days with her sisters Mrs. M. Turner and Mrs. Ivan Oneil residing in Calgary.

What promises to be an A. I. Band has been organized and is under the directorship and in the capable hands of Mr. G. Pinneo and Mr. S. Willis.

For Quick Sale, list your land with D. P. Hays, Carstairs, Alberta.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION.  
3rd Sunday in Lent, Mar. 7th,  
10 a.m. Sunday School.

11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Holy Communion.

As the result of the Special Service held on Sunday February 29th Messrs Ivor Lewis and R. Whitfield, Churchwardens, had the satisfaction of handing over to Mr. A. A. Hall, the sum of \$22.00 for the relief of those in the Drought Stricken Districts of Southern Alberta.

UNITED CHURCH, CROSSFIELD  
Rev. R. K. Swenerton, B.A., B.D.,  
Pastor.

Mr. S. Willis, Musical Director.

Mrs. M. Thonaa, Organist.

Mr. D. A. Jeffery, Sunday School Superintendent.

Sunday School & Bible Class 2 p.m.

Preaching Service at 7.30 p.m.

"Christian Discipleship" will be the subject of the sermon by the Pastor next Sunday. A hearty invitation is extended to all.

We hear the Imperial Bank people have purchased the lot and premises corner of Hammond St now occupied by the Crossfield Meat Market. The buildings are to be moved to a site further north and new Bank premises are to be built on the lot, owing to the increasing business now being done by the Imperial Bank, the building they now occupy is entirely too small.

Our local sports are sure taking "Time" by the forelock. A Baseball meeting is called for this afternoon (Thursday). We venture to say that this is the first occasion on which Baseball enthusiasts have met in Crossfield so early in the year. FOR SALE: Ford Roadster, Engine just overhauled, in good condition, Apply, Crossfield Meat Market.

## Another of Our Popular Dollar Sales

Every item represents a real saving. Several lines were bought in quantity lots and at special prices, well below to-days costs.

California Pears, Figs, Apricots,  
Evaporated 4 lbs for \$1

Pure Fruit Jams, Peach, Plum,  
Raspberry 4 lb tin for \$1

2 lbs Braids Tea, reg. 65c a lb  
2 lbs for \$1

2 lb Special Blend Coffee,  
whole or ground reg. 60c a lb.  
2 lbs for \$1

5 lb tin Tuxedo Baking Powder  
for \$1

5 Cans Corn, American pack, \$1

Men's Ribbed Sox - 2 pairs \$1

Children's heavy ribbed Wool

Stockings, worth \$1.25 a pair \$1

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Watered by two good springs. The soil is a deep black loam with a clay subsoil. 125 acres in cultivation.

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Balance \$500.00 per year with interest at 7 per cent  
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L. V. LEITCH,

Manager.

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**Cuticura Tablets Powder**

Do not fail to test the fascinating fragrance of this exquisitely scented face, body, disinfectant skin perfume powder, delicate, delightful, distinctive. It imparts to the person a charming influence, and is peculiar to itself.

## Britain—The World's Terminal

In his review of Great Britain's industrial and financial future, to which certain references were made in this column last week, Lord Northcliffe not only told his American interviewer of the ability being displayed in reforming the status of the industrial workers, and gave reasons why neither the United States nor any other country could succeed in taking away from Britain her supremacy in shipping, but he submitted a logical reason why England would continue to be the centre of world trade and finance. In this connection he said: "Americans who come to London arrive here not realizing that our small country, which you can almost put inside the state of New York, is merely the great terminal of nearly a hundred diverse sections comprising the British Empire. That Empire is roughly divided into half a dozen free nations, quite independent of England—the great collecting and distributing centre of the whole,—if they choose to be independent. If Canada, or Australia, or New Zealand wish to cut the connection tomorrow they can do so without leaving any feel behind. Sometimes there is a ruffled talk between us, as there is between any other great business, but when it comes to what I understand you call a 'showdown,' it is seen that the business alliance is of the strongest.

"Never forget, too, we are linked by sentiment strong enough to unite us to death itself, as the world has lately seen, when from the remote parts of Australia, and from such widely separated places as Central Africa, the Klondike and the Falkland Islands, came these busy Britons, who were not killed, who will give you an excellent stand-up business fight in South America and elsewhere. From all those places there flowed to France, to Palestine, to Egypt, to Asia Minor, the fine young people who formed a portion of the land and sea armies of the British Empire, which numbered nearly eight millions, and of whom 1,000,000 were killed and missing (and missing means dead), and of whom our losses in dead officers alone amounted to 50,000.

"A people like ours, backed up by practically every single raw material the world contains, except, I understand, potash, which seems one of your weaknesses, too, have every rea-

son for the alien confidence they feel in the future. In addition to our supply of raw material, we have the best skilled labor in the world. I say without hesitation that, mechanic for mechanic, ours are the best, for we have practically no aliens."

Financially, Lord Northcliffe agrees with some of the best bankers in England that Great Britain does not need to borrow further from the United States. The position of the five great British banking combinations holding amongst them 85 per cent. of the deposits of the English banks is so strong that any present or immediately prospective British trade can be financed without seeking outside help, and it is not too much to say, says the editor of Wall Street Journal, who interviewed Lord Northcliffe, that the task the great English bankers (and no country possesses greater or perhaps as great) would like to turn immediate attention to is paying off the British national debt to the United States, irrespective of what is owing to Great Britain by her allies. And in this connection it is worthy of note, and a source of British confidence in the future, that this year Great Britain will be able to provide all national expenditures out of current taxation and still be able to make a substantial reduction in the war debt.

Concluding his statement of the British position, Lord Northcliffe made reference to a well-known characteristic of the British race. He said: "We have many faults as a people. The French say that we have the faculty of putting our worst foot foremost. We are bad advertisers. We always like to grumble. It amuses one to notice how violently we grumble at a small business loss and how quietly we pocket a gigantic business achievement. We are not good 'booster,' but I do happen to understand something about propaganda, and having the opportunity of speaking to a great body of business men through the Wall Street Journal, I would ask the many business friends I have made at business conventions in the United States to apply a large amount of salt to any dish served up by young and inexperienced cable correspondents who blow into London, and because they find an absence of the noise and rush to which they are accustomed at home, fail to realize that Mr. John Bull is back at his old stand and is about to give you a thoroughly busy time in many markets that you will find are not such easily cut lemons as some of your enthusiasts believe."

All of which should help to dissipate from the minds of Canadians, fed up with articles in the United States newspaper and magazine press, any fear that Great Britain is in danger of losing her old-time position as leader in the world of finance, shipping, manufacturing and commerce.

Driven-by a gas engine, a machine has been invented that cleans old brick with a chisel at a rate of 300 an hour.

### Cheap Form of Insurance

You are insured against corns and bunions by the purchase of a single 25c bottle of Putnam's Corn Extractor; it cures painlessly in 24 hours. Try Putnam's Extractor, 25c at all dealers.

We often fail to recognize it, but the fact remains that today is trying to live up to the highest standard of yesterday's thought and determination.

## A Morning Dish Of Grape-Nuts

certainly does hearten one up for the day. Why shouldn't it? Grape-Nuts is ready-cooked, ready-sweetened, and contains just those good elements nature requires for the strength to do things.

Make Grape-Nuts your home cereal. "There's a Reason"

## CHILBLAINS

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### An Australian Joke

The Grocer:—Yes'm, the high price of mustard is due to the scarcity of fuel. You see, people are buying up mustard and are keeping themselves warm with poultices.—Sydney Bulletin.

## BABY'S OWN TABLETS ALWAYS IN THE HOME

Once a mother has used Baby's Own Tablets for her little one she always keeps a supply on hand, for the first trial convinces her there is nothing to equal them in keeping children well. The Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which regulate the bowels and sweeten the stomach, thus driving out constipation and indigestion, colds and simple fevers and making teething easier. Concerning them, Mrs. Saluste Pelletier, St. Dunas, Que., writes:—"I have used Baby's Own Tablets for over past ten years and am never without them in the house. They have always given the greatest satisfaction and I can gladly recommend them to all mothers of little ones." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or direct by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Cuba is the greatest consumer of raisins among Spanish-American nations.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

It has been estimated that 53,720 pairs of old shoes are needed for every mile of a road composition made of slag, rock, asphalt and scrap leather that has been patented in Great Britain.

## You Can Be Cured of Catarrh

The Pure Balsamic Essence of Catarrhophone Afford Sure and Quick Cure

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Large size Catarrhophone, sufficient for two months' use; guaranteed, price, \$1.00; smaller size, 50c; sample size, 25c. Sold everywhere.

### New Diamond Fields

Flaring Will Be Proclaimed Open for Digging March 20

Tlaring, a waterless, treeless and virtually gameless desert near Taungs, in Bechuanaland, promises to be the scene of the biggest diamond claim-staking rush in South African history. It is understood that Tlaring will be proclaimed open for diamond digging about March 20.

Amazing stories are afloat concerning the wonderful richness of the district, and prospective diggers from the Cape, and Mozambique, and even the Congo, are preparing to try their luck in the new field. Despite warnings of possible failure, men are abandoning good jobs in various parts of the country in order to be free to stake out claims when the proclamation is issued. Hundreds of women also are arranging to go to the new diggings.

The government is preparing to cope with the anticipated rush to Tlaring, and a township to receive the new community is being laid out. Taungs is situated about forty miles south of Vryburg, and about one hundred miles north of Kimberley, the last-named place being famous for its great diamond mines.

W. N. U. 1304

## May Get Part of German Naval Equipment

British Government Offers Dominion Some Reparation Claims

In the material which the allies are acquiring Germany to deliver as compensation for the loss of German battleships at Scapa Flow are several floating docks, dredges, hydraulic cranes, etc. It is understood that the British Government has made enquiry of the Canadian Government as to whether Canada would like to acquire any of these on account of Canada's reparation claims, and the matter is now being considered by the government.

## She Thought Dyeing Was Old Fashioned

But "Diamond Dyes" Made Her Faded, Shabby, Old Garments Like New

Don't worry about perfect results. Use "Diamond Dyes," guaranteed to give a new, rich, fadeless color to any fabric, whether it be wool, silk, linen, cotton or mixed goods.—dresses, blouses, stockings, skirts, children's coats, feathers, draperies, coverings—everything.

The Direction Book with each package tells how to diamond dye over color.

To match any material, have dealer show you "Diamond Dye" Color Card.

The Argentine government is planning to harness falls of the Parana river for the production of electric power.

**Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days**  
Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, Blood, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Stops Irritation, Soothes and Heals. You can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 60c.

Surveying by Aeroplanes  
The aeroplane in Tasmania has been used to survey a route for the erection of a transmission line capable of delivering 10,000-horsepower of electric current from the Great Lake Woker to Launceston, a distance of 50 miles. No man has ever been through this part of the country. The aeroplane, which carried an engineer of the government hydro-electric department, traveled 180 miles, and flew over wild mountain peaks, rising to an altitude of 6,000 feet, over very heavily timbered country, numerous lakes, lagoons and rivers. Information, which in the ordinary way would have taken some months to obtain, owing to the forbidding nature of the country, was gained in a couple of hours.

A large part of one of Finland's iron ore fields lies under the sea.

For Genuine Worth

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Nothing else brings relief so quickly and so surely. Send for free sample to Templeton, 142 King St. W., Toronto, for free sample. For sale at reliable drug stores for \$1.50 a box.

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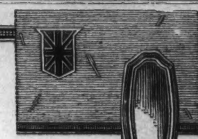
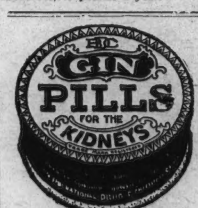
A new folding camera is equipped with an additional bellows, to be drawn out and extended beside the regular one to permit accurate focusing to be done until a picture is taken.

## YOUNGSTERS!

Need "Cascarets" when Sick, Bilious, Constipated.

When your child is bilious, constipated, sick or full of cold; when the little tongue is coated, breath bad and stomach sour, get a box of Cascarets and straighten the little one right up. Children gladly take this harmless candy cathartic and it cleanses the little liver and bowels without gripping. Cascarets contain no calomel or dangerous drugs and can be depended upon to move the sour bile, gases and indigestible waste right out of the bowels. Best family cathartic because it never cramps, sickens or causes inconvenience.

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Extra to 200 lbs.	Extra to 150 lbs.	Extra to 100 lbs.	Extra to 75 lbs.	Extra to 50 lbs.

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Heavy Furred, Case	35.00 to 30.00	28.00 to 22.00	20.00 to 15.00	14.00 to 12.00	14.00 to 8.00
Open and Headless	25.00 to 20.00	18.00 to 15.00	14.00 to 12.00	11.00 to 9.00	11.00 to 6.00

**MUSKRAT**

Spring	8.00 to 7.00	6.50 to 5.50	5.00 to 3.75	3.50 to 2.75	3.00 to 2.00
Winter	6.50 to 5.50	5.00 to 4.00	3.50 to 2.75	2.50 to 1.75	2.50 to 1.50

**MINK**

Fine, Dark	40.00 to 32.00	28.00 to 22.00	20.00 to 16.00	15.00 to 13.00	15.00 to 8.00
Usual Color	30.00 to 25.00	20.00 to 17.00	15.00 to 13.00	12.00 to 10.00	12.00 to 6.00
Pale	22.00 to 16.00	15.00 to 13.00	12.00 to 10.00	8.00 to 7.00	5.00 to 4.00

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**Local and General.**

The Crossfield Branch of the Social Service League of Alberta was organized last week with the following officers: Hon. Pres. Rev. R. K. Swenerton, Pres. Mr. D. A. Jeffery, Vice Pres. Mrs. J. H. Whitfield, Sec. Mr. J. R. Gilmerist, Executive: Mr. A. A. Hall, Mrs. W. McIlroy, Mr. R. Whitfield, and Mr. Wm. Laut.

Private Funds to Lend.—D. P. Hays, Carstairs.

The Local G. W. V. A. having had to postpone their advertised dance Friday last, on account of weather conditions, some of those intending taking in the advertised dance had braved the elements and were somewhat disappointed to find that the G. W. V. A. dance was called off. However, thanks to rushed arrangements by a few members of the Crossfield and District Band an Impromptu dance took place which was enjoyed by about 25 couples.

The Women's Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. R. W. McFarlane, on Thursday March 11th at 3 p. m.

**Tree Planting**

Tree Planting is urgently needed here. Would it not be well for the Council to have a Tree-Planting Day? This might be made a feature of Arbor-Day or worked in combination with Clean-up Day, or all three days combined in one. Our prairie towns are pretty bare places without trees and the past two dry seasons have been unfavorable for improving conditions. But already there is a fair amount of moisture in the ground, to give a start to the trees that may be planted. The chief difficulty is, of course, in getting the trees, and at a price that would not be prohibitive. We hear of cases where people have already spent twenty-five dollars with but little result. It would appear that the native poplar is the safest tree to plant, but the Russian poplar is also good and the spruce. In the country such men as Jas. Laut, Wm. Pines and Jerry Fike have had good success with their trees. Whatever is to be done this year, must be done quickly.

**Announcement**

A Tea will be given at the home of Mrs. F. L. Waters on Saturday, March 6th, from 3 to 6 p. m. The charge will be 25 cents, the proceeds to go towards furnishing the Club room of the O. L. U. Club. Come and have your fortune told.

**NOTICE**

On and after the 1st of March 1920, the Crossfield Meat Market will be carried on under a Strictly Cash basis. All those owing accounts are kindly asked to pay immediately.

The Crossfield Meat Market.

**Extrays**

Impounded in the Municipal District of Rosebud No. 280 Pound, one Black Mare about 10 years old, rangy built. Branded on right thigh KL  
 One Pinto Pony, with colt at foot.  
 Branded DGO on right shoulder.  
 D. BILLES, Poundkeeper.

CROSSFIELD LODGE L. O. O. F.

No. 42

Meets Every Wednesday Night in the Oddfellows Hall at 8 p. m.  
 Visiting Brethren Welcome.  
 E. F. BROWN, N. G.  
 S. WILLIS, Rec. Secy.  
 A. JESSIMAN, Fin. Sec.

**MESSRS.****BRADFORD & HONEYBOURN,**

Have taken over the Harness Repairing Business lately conducted by Mr. Wm. Laut, and in conjunction will carry on a

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**NOTICE**

Cattle Brand TX left hip.

Both ears cut off with wire in stub.

Horse Brand TX left stut or thigh

Thomas Amery.

Also Cattle Brand U3 right hip.

Both ears cut off with band in right

stub with name and address.

Horse Brand U3 right thigh.

Amery and Son.

Anyone having strays with any of the above brands or ear marks please notify

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For Sale.—Two Berkshire Boars, nine months old. Registered. May be seen at George Landymore's, Crossfield.

For Sale.—Two Milk Cows, can be seen at Geo. Bennie's place, 9 miles N.E. of Crossfield.

**AUCTION**

Invited by Messrs. GILBERT BROS. and CHRISTENSEN, who are dissolving partnership, I will sell on

**N.W. q. 3-28-30, West of 4th M.**  
 Nine and a Half miles E., one mile S. of Carstairs, one mile N. Hawkeye

Scholhouse,

At 10 o'clock in the Forenoon,

ON

**Tuesday, March 9th,****20 - HORSES - 20**

One Registered Percheron Stallion, No. 4509, "Napoleon," black, rising 7, 1,000 lbs.

One Registered dark grey Percheron Mare No. 5665 (129,029 U.S.A.), "Alberta Belle," rising 4, 1,600 lbs.

One Registered dark grey Percheron Mare No. 7152, "Gypsy Belle," rising 3, 1,000 lbs.

One Team Geldings, bay & brown, rising 5 and 6, 3,200 lbs.

One Team roan and black Mares, in-foal, rising 10, 2,400 lbs.

One Team Mare Mules, bay and brown, rising 9, 2,300 lbs.

One Team Gelding Mules, brown and black, rising 15, 1,900 lbs.

Eight Suckling Colts.

One Gentle Saddle Horse.

**63 HIGH CATTLE**

One Registered Aberdeen Angus Bull, No. 10192, Heather Brook Heir, rising 8 years.

One Registered Aberdeen Angus Cow, No. 9816, Meadow Brook Heir, rising 6 years.

One Registered Aberdeen Angus Cow, No. 7152, Erica Heir, rising 7 years.

One Registered Aberdeen Angus Heifer, No. 21355, Meadow Brook Heir, rising 2 years.

Two Registered Aberdeen Angus Heifers, rising 1 year.

Eleven 1-Mile Cows.

Thirteen High Grade Aberdeen Angus Stock Cows.

Nineteen High Grade Aberdeen Angus Heifers, freshen this spring.

Two High Grade Shorthorn Heifers.

Five High Grade Aberdeen Angus Steer Calves.

Seven High Grade Aberdeen Angus Heifer Calves.

**HARNESS**

Twenty-four Horse Collars, Three Sets of Breaching Harness, Six Sets of Plow Harness, One Set Driving Harness.

**HOGS and CHICKENS**

Twenty Duroc Jersey Bred Gilts, One Duroc Jersey Boar.

Seventy five Plymouth Rock Hens.

**MACHINERY, all in Good Repair**

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## THE COW PUNCHER

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The gradual shrinking of values to the vanishing point imposed upon Dave many business duties which he would very gladly have evaded. The office of Conward & Elden which had once been besieged by customers eager to buy, was now a centre of groups no less eager to sell; and when they could not sell they contrived to lay the blame upon the firm which had originally sold to them. Although for the most part, these were men and women who had bought purely from the gambler's mire, they behaved toward the real estate dealer as though he had done them an injustice when the finger of fortune turned up a loss instead of a profit. For such people Dave had little sympathy, and if they persisted in their murmurings he told them so with becoming frankness. But there were cases that could not be turned away with a sharp answer. Bert Morrison, for instance, Bert had never mentioned her "investment" on the occasion already recorded; she greeted Dave with the sociability due to their longstanding friendship, and his avoidance of the subject hurt him more than the abuse of all his irate patrons. Then there was Merton, the widower with the sick lungs and the motherless boy, who had brought his little savings to the West in the hope of husbanding out his life in the dry, clear atmosphere, and saving his son from the white death that had already invaded their little family. With a cruelly almost unbelievable, Conward had talked this man into the purchase of property so far removed from the city as to possess no value except as farm land; and the little savings, which were to ward off sickness and death, or, if that could not be, minister modest comfort in the declining hours of life, had been exchanged for property which, even at the time of the transaction, was valueless and unsalable.

Merton had called on Dave with respect to his investment. Dave had at first been disposed to tell him frankly that the property for which he had paid twenty dollars was worth barely worth that much an acre. But a second look at the man changed his purpose.

"I know you were stung, Merton," he said, "shamelessly stung. You are one of those unfortunates who believe that they think everybody is going to play fair with them. You belong to the class who keep their eyes shut and acquiesce in easy circumstances. You might almost be charged with being accessories. Now, just to show how I feel about it—how much did you pay for these lots?"

"Three thousand dollars. It was all I had."

"Of course it was. If you had had more you would have been wiser. I suppose Conward justified himself with the argument that if he didn't

take your easy money someone else would, which is doubtless true. But just to show how I feel about it I'll buy those lots from you for three thousand dollars."

"I see," said Mr. Elden. "I can't do it," said Merton, and there was moisture on his cheeks. "That would be charity—and I can't do that. But I'm much obliged. It shows you're square, Mr. Elden, and I hold no ill-will to you."

"Well, can I help you in some way you will accept? I'm afraid—I don't mean to be kind—but we may as well be frank—I'm afraid you won't need help very long."

"Merton answered the one who has made up his mind to the inevitable, and Dave thought better of him. This little wreck of a man—this child in business matters—could look death in the face without a quiver."

"Not so long," he said. "I felt ever so much better when I came here first. I thought I was really going to be well again. But when I found what a mistake I had made I began to worry, not for myself, you know, but for my boy, and I was just what my trouble lives in. I have been working a little, and boarding out, and the boy is going to school. But I can't do any more work of any kind is hard to get. I find I can't keep going that way."

Merton looked with dreary eyes through the office window, while Dave was turning over the hopelessness of his position and inwardly cursing the system which made such conditions possible. Society protects the physically weak from the physically strong; the physical highwayman usually gets his deserts; but the mental highwayman preys upon the weak and the inexperienced and the unorganized, and Society votes him a good citizen and a success.

"I had a plan," Merton continued, half apologetically, as though his plan and his little credit. "I had a plan but it can't be worked out. I have been trying to raise a little money on my lots, but the mortgage people just look at me."

"What is your plan?" said Dave, kindly. "Any plan, no matter how bad, is always better than no plan."

"I thought," said Merton, timidly, "I thought if I could build a little shack on the lots I could live there with the boy and we could raise a very fine garden. The soil is very fertile, and at least we should not starve. And the gardening would be good for me, and I could perhaps keep some chickens, and work out at odd jobs as well. But it takes money to build even a very small shack."

"How much money?" demanded Dave.

"I had a hundred dollars—" he said.

"Bring your title to me tomorrow; to me, personally, you understand. I'll advance you the hundred dollars."

Merton sprang up, and there was more enthusiasm in his eyes than had been possible. "You will? But I don't need that much—"

"Then use the surplus to live on."

So the Merton affair was straightened away in a manner which left Dave more at peace with his conscience. But another even much more dramatic and far-reaching in its effects upon his life, was already ripe for the enacting.

Business conditions had necessitated unwelcome economy in the office of Conward & Elden. As a result of which many old employees had been laid off, and others had been replaced by cheaper and experienced labor. Stenographers who had been receiving a hundred dollars a month could now get only thirty, and they had to make way for new girls, fresh from the business college.

A new girl was Gladys Warden; pretty, likeable, inexperienced. Her country home had offered her no other ambitions, and she had come to the city with the most dangerous equipment a young woman can carry—an attractive face and an unsophisticated confidence in the goodness of humanity. Conward had been responsible for her position in the office and Dave had given little thought to her, except to note that she was a willing worker and of comely appearance.

Returning to the office one Saturday evening Dave found Miss Warden making up a bundle of paper, pencils and carbon paper. She was evidently in high spirits, and he smilingly asked if she intended working at home over Sunday.

"Oh, didn't Mr. Conward tell you?" she answered, as though surprised that the most news of the office was a secret. "He is going to spend a day or two at one of the mountain hotels, and he never felt that I could afford it. And now I can combine business with pleasure."

The smile died out of Dave's eyes, and his face became more set and stern than she had ever seen it. "Why, that's the matter," Mr. Elden said, "isn't it?"

"Is anything wrong?"

He found it hard to meet her frank, unsuspecting eyes; hard to draw back the curtains of the world so much that those eyes would never again be quite so frank and unsuspecting.

"Miss Warden," he said, "Conward told you that?"

"What? About going to the mountains? Of course," said she, "he was taking some work with him, and he wondered if I would mind going along to do it, and he would pay my expenses, and—"

There was a quick hard catch in his voice, and he seized Elden's arm

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violently. Her eyes were big and round; her pretty face had gone suddenly white.

"Oh, Mr. Elden, you don't think— you wouldn't believe that?"

"I think you are absolutely innocent," he said, gravely, "but—it's the innocent thing that gets caught. Suddenly, even in that tense moment, his mind leaped over the Gulf of years to the night when he had said to Irene Hardy, 'I don't know nothing about the justice of God. It is the critic that can't run gets caught.' It was so of Irene's pet; it was so of poor, tubercular Merton; it was to be so of pretty Gladys Warden."

But the girl had broken into violent tears. "Whatever shall I do—what can I do?" she moaned. "Oh, why didn't I tell you?"

He let her passion run on for a few minutes, then he thought, gently, as he could, to win her back to some composure. "Someone has told you," he said in time. "You don't have to go. Don't be afraid of anything Conward may do. I will settle this score with him."

(To Be Continued.)

## Here is What the Principal Learned

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Dr. W. J. Harrington, a member of the Manitoba legislature, is of the opinion that Manitoba may become one of the world's largest hemp-producing districts, and as a result a huge rope and cordage industry may be developed in this province.

"Hemp grown in Dauphin district last summer," he says, "was from 12 to 14 feet high when harvested, and I am given to understand that the yield in relation to the seed used was as great, if not greater, than is to be found in any part of the world where the industry has been established for years. There is an opportunity here for Manitoba to come to the front as a rope, twine, cordage and paper manufacturing province, as all these things are manufactured from hemp fibre, and I would urge upon the government the necessity of giving earnest attention to the encouragement of the industry."

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## A Polar Cool Field

Spitzbergen Output From 500,000 to 1,000,000 Tons Annually

An artist in "Karikaturen," published in Christiania, pictures a polar bear reading the Spitzbergen address of welcome to King Haakon of Norway, other polar bears smiling approval, and the King's boatmen, with their mittens on the oars, waiting impatiently till the ceremony is over and the King returns where it is warmer. The world at large knows little of Spitzbergen, which the Peace Conference awarded to Norway, but the fact that last winter the population of Arctic Ocean Archipelago numbered about 500 men, of whom more than 400 were Norwegians and the rest Swedes, combined with the statement that of late years the Norwegians have done much for the development of Spitzbergen seems to justify the award, and the cartoonist in "Karikaturen" no doubt expresses the feelings of the average Norwegian. There is coal in Spitzbergen, and the output, under present development, has been estimated at from 500,000 to 1,000,000 tons annually but for only three months of the year and sometimes for only one, is the land free of ice and the way open for vessels.

The Arctic term is the foot-loose wanderer of the bird world. It breeds far within the Arctic circle, as far north as it can find land on which to build its nest, and spends the winter as near the South pole as it can find open water in which to find its food. Its summer and winter homes are 11,000 miles apart and necessitate an annual round trip of at least 22,000 miles. The name "Arctic" well suits it; the young have been found within 7 deg. of the pole and the nest frequently must be freed from snow.

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One Big Union Takes Increase

A resolution stating that they are willing to accept the 14 per cent increase in pay pending further negotiations which they insist must be entered into, has been adopted by the One Big Union mining district of Alberta, and forwarded to the Minister of Labor. The resolution also opposes the recent order of the fuel commissioner, requiring that all miners must be members of the United Mine Workers of America, the international organization, or leave their work.

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# Germany Defiant Over Trials Of War Criminals

Berlin.—Commenting on the allied note to Germany making concessions regarding the trial of Germans accused of war crimes, the Tagblatt says: "The awakening of the democratic spirit in England and Italy has had its effect in inducing the leaders of the entente to recede from their previous attitude on the extradition issue."

Forwaerts says that the note is now free of malice and other obscurities, which are likely to lead to complications later, but it declares the document represents the victory of sanity.

The Vossische Zeitung expresses belief that neither the German nor the entente statesmen could have acted differently in the premises. It thinks the entente will do well in abstaining from interference with the trials Germany is to hold, as the allies will thus be spared "the ignominious defeat awaiting them in case they attempt to reaffirm their charges before an unbiased court."

The Pan Deutsche Zeitung finds the note unacceptable, and demands that it be met with "an unflinching 'No.'"

## Predicts Another Great War

Henry Morgenthau Says U.S. Must Take Her Part in Settling Up Affairs in Europe

New York.—A warning that the United States will be involved in another European war within ten years, unless she accepts her share of the responsibility of putting Europe and Asia on their feet again, was uttered by Henry Morgenthau, former ambassador to Turkey, in an address before the students of Columbia University.

Mr. Morgenthau declared that the United States in refusing to accept a mandate for Constantinople had lost an advantage which it can never gain.

After asserting that the magnificent talk of self-determination has all died away, and that the nations of Europe are "going back to the old order," the former ambassador continued: "Unless militarism is destroyed and the new order of things established, I predict that all you young men will be called upon again to bear arms in a European war, and that all of you who were too young two years ago will receive your first call for service."

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### Takes Action to Prevent Strikes

Berlin.—Gustave Noske, commander-in-chief for the greater Berlin district and Brandenburg province, has issued an order applying to Berlin and Brandenburg threatening imprisonment or a fine up to 50,000 marks for inciting persons, by speech or in writing, to stop work, which would affect the production or distribution of foodstuffs. The decree is directed against threatened strikes of the bakers and hotel-keepers.

## Changes In U. S.

### Immigration Laws

Would Make It Necessary for Aliens to Report and Register Every Year

New York.—Amendment of the immigration law so as to require aliens to register and report once a year to some federal official, is one of the several recommendations made by its subcommittee on immigration.

On repeal of the laws in certain western and southern states that permit aliens to vote who have only declared their intention to become citizens, stringent regulation of the foreign language press in the United States and creation of a permanent immigration commission to study the effects of past and especially future immigration were other recommendations.

## Russian Situation Bad

Ally Officials Fearful of Bolshevik Triumph in Southern War Area

Constantinople.—The situation in Southern Russia is so uncertain that the allied officials are fearful of a general Bolshevik triumph, more, however, through the internal dissensions than the entrance of Red forces from the outside.

General Schilling is at Sebastopol commanding the volunteer forces which held the Crimean isthmus.

The surrounding lagoons are frozen hard, however, and it is feared the Bolsheviks may approach on the ice.

Sebastopol harbor is cluttered with useless shipping. Ten thousand persons are registered willing to get away, while 11,000 more are on ships from Odessa without adequate food or medicine. Typhus is raging among the refugees. It is impossible to take away the population, as commanders of allied warships in the harbor apparently lack authority for such action.

An agreement has been reached between General Denikin and the Cossack supreme council. The "Terek Cossacks" are giving their wholehearted support, but the Don and Kuban Cossacks are making reservations which will weaken the anti-Bolshevik strength and will make the Crimean situation doubtful.

## Canada's Favorable Outlook

Duke of Devonshire Paints a Bright Picture of Future of Dominion

Ottawa.—That Canada has every reason to be gratified with the present outlook, more particularly now that educationists were attacking the heavy task of carrying on a huge campaign to deepen and strengthen the moral and spiritual factors in national education, was the keynote of a speech delivered by the Duke of Devonshire, Governor-General of Canada, to the delegates to the National Council of Education here.

Dr. Parmelee, of Quebec, urged for a serious consideration of the bilingual question. If they were to have peace and harmony it was absolutely necessary that they give the French-Canadians the right to preserve their mother tongue.

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## British Navy Can Cope With any Emergency

Manchester Guardian Ridicules Idea of Amalgamating the Ships Built

London.—Discussing editorially Admiral Jellicoe's tour, the Manchester Guardian says it exerted a good deal of controversy in Canada, where the newspapers said that this might suggest a special building program for the Dominion and a plan for amalgamating the ships built with the British navy if the emergency should arise.

"We don't believe that any such foolish scheme is contemplated," continues the Guardian. "No emergency to begin with, is conceivable with which the British navy is not amply adequate to cope, and even if it were not so, the method of shaping and directing naval policy from Whitehall for the dominions would be the worst imaginable to meet the need. It cannot be too clearly realized the tremendous help which the British overseas nations have accorded to the allied cause. So far from making the centralization, the imperial policy has given the separate members of the Commonwealth a title as they never before held toward their own destination."

"While the Dominion policy is against the inclusion as items in the plans of imperialism, and there could be no graver error of statesmanship at this time than to imagine they would meet a scheme for putting armed forces at the disposal of the imperial council with anything but profound suspicion."

Nurses Arrive From Siberia  
San Francisco.—One hundred and forty American Red Cross workers arrived here from Siberia on the army transport Great Northern. Women members of the party told of their experiences with cholera at Harbin. From Harbin they went to the foothills of the Ural mountains and aided in the evacuation of the thousands of children.

Quebec.—An order-in-council has been passed by the Quebec government raising the transfer bonus for timber limits to \$20 per mile, or fraction of a mile.

# Now Expected Ex-Kaiser Will Be Interned in Holland

The Hague.—The Dutch press, although inclined to resent what one newspaper calls a display of bad temper in the rather sharp wording of some parts of the second allied note with regard to the former German emperor, in its comment generally takes the view that these parts are intended only for home consumption, and that the real meaning of the note is that Holland is simply asked to prevent William from interfering with the peace of the world.

The government, the newspapers say, is undoubtedly pleased that the allies did not attempt to dictate the special place of internment. The general feeling is that the incident will be speedily settled, with Holland's expected offer to intern William at Doorn.

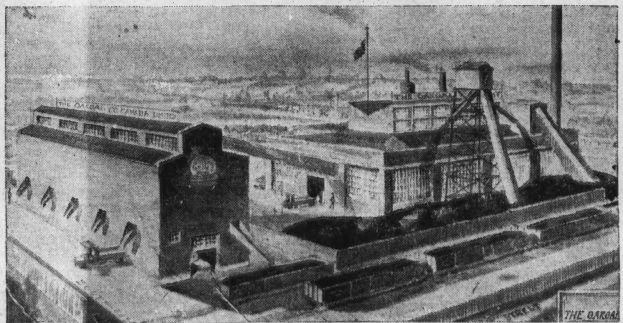
Hope to Secure New Beer Bill  
Trenton, N.J.—In the hope of securing a beer bill for New Jersey that would stand the United States supreme court test, Senator Pilgrim, of Essex, on behalf of the Republicans in control of the legislature, introduced a measure localizing the manufacture, sale and transportation in New Jersey of beverages of 2.75 per cent. alcohol by weight, which would be about 3.40 per cent. by volume.

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# No Cause for Pessimism in West

Despite adverse conditions in the greater part of Alberta and Saskatchewan, and in sections of Manitoba it is estimated by the Winnipeg Free Press, in an extended survey of agricultural production in the Western Provinces in 1919, that the wealth produced on the farms of the three Western Provinces in that year totalled \$397,643,855.

This total wealth is greater than any previous year. The wheat yield last year brought in less return than in 1918, but oats, barley and screenings were considerably greater, while flax and rye show quite a reduction. Altogether it is estimated that the financial returns from the grains produced in 1919 were about \$160,000,000 under 1918.

Dairy and poultry returns indicate a very large increase in financial returns. The Free Press bases its estimate of livestock on figures obtained from the stockyards at Winnipeg, Calgary, Edmonton, Moose Jaw and Prince Albert, and these returns show that 1916 was a better year than 1919 by over seven million dollars. According to the Free Press, wool did not make as good a return last year as the previous year by over half a million dollars. Potatoes, hay and roots produced twenty million dollars more wealth in 1919 than in the previous year.

There is every warrant for the statement made by the Free Press that when the three Prairie Provinces, in a year when drought affected fully two-thirds of the area of the two larger provinces, can report a monetary return of nearly four hundred million dollars from grains, dairy products, livestock, roots, hay, eggs and wool, the country is not going to the devastating how-downs, by any means.

## Saskatchewan's Population

Is Over 800,000 Mark According to Statistics Recently Compiled

Saskatchewan's population is now \$33,267, according to statistics compiled by the vital statistics branch of the provincial public health bureau. This is an increase of nearly 100,000 in two years, as the figures compiled by the same method in 1917 showed the total population to be slightly over 735,000 at that time.

These figures were supplied by the secretary treasurers and the city and town clerks of every rural municipality, city, town and village in the province, with the exception of twelve, which for 1918 were not used. In such cases the figures for 1919 were used.

The population of the cities, towns and villages, according to these figures is 241,315, and of the rural districts 594,732, 565,360 for municipalities, and 26,392 in the unorganized territory. The population of the seven cities in the province is given as follows by the city clerks of each city: Regina, 40,000; Saskatoon, 25,000; Moose Jaw, 21,623; Prince Albert, 8,500; North Battleford, 4,500; Swift Current, 4,000; Weyburn, 4,000.

## Iron Duke a Poor Shot

Hero of Waterloo Better at Instruction Than Execution

Some soldiers, like lawyers, are excellent in giving the correct instructions professionally, but indifferent executors of the same in detail. A lord chancellor of England made out his will in such a manner as to lead to endless litigation. Napoleon was a poor shot.

Lady Shelley records in her diary a vocal exhibition by the Duke of Wellington during one of his visits. "I accompanied the guest in the afternoon," she writes on Sept. 8, 1819. "The hero of Waterloo was a very wild shot. After wounding a retriever and later on peppering a keeper's gaiters, he sprinkled the bare arms of an old woman who chanced to be washing clothes at her cottage window. 'My good woman,' I said, 'this ought to be the proudest moment of your life. You have had the distinction of being shot by the Duke of Wellington.' Her face was wreathed in smiles as the contrite Duke slipped a gold coin into her hand."

## Demolishing the Parisian Bridges

As A Sacrifice to the Spirit of Progress

Another old bridge is being demolished at Paris as a sacrifice to the spirit of progress. This is the Pont de la Tournelle, some distance down stream beyond Notre Dame. It was originally built about 1620, the first structure being of wood. The foundations of the present stone bridge date from 1656, although it was widened twice, once in 1777 and again in 1845, to keep pace with the increase of traffic. But the remarkable fact about its destruction is, that while the demolition plans are complete and thorough, there is a vagueness about what will next be done. Is its destruction for the sake of so-called civic improvement, or will it simply vanish and another historic landmark of old Paris be only a memory? Or will the municipal council replace it with something fashionable in steel or reinforced concrete? The pity is that no one can find out why this bridge was chosen for destruction, nor what will replace its structure. Paris can ill afford to lose her structures of the past.

## Our Agricultural Wealth

There Is No Cause for Pessimism in Western Canada

Despite adverse conditions in the greater part of Alberta and Saskatchewan, and in sections of Manitoba, it is estimated by the Winnipeg Free Press in an extended survey of agricultural production in the Western Provinces in 1919, that the wealth produced on the farms in the three Western provinces in that year totalled \$397,643,855.

This total wealth is greater than any previous year. The wheat yield last year brought in less return than in 1918, but oats, barley and screenings were considerably greater. Flax and rye, however, show quite a reduction. Altogether it is estimated that the financial returns from the grains produced in 1919 were about \$160,000,000 under 1918.

Dairy and poultry returns indicate a very large increase in financial returns. The Free Press bases its estimate of livestock on figures obtained from the stockyards at Winnipeg, Calgary, Edmonton, Moose Jaw and Prince Albert, and these returns show that 1918 was a better year than 1919 by over seven million dollars. According to the Free Press, wool did not make as good a return last year as the previous year by over half a million dollars. Potatoes, hay and roots produced twenty million dollars more wealth in 1919 than in the previous year.

There is every warrant for the statement made by the Free Press that "when the three prairie provinces, in a year when drought affected fully two-thirds of the area of the two larger provinces, can report a monetary return of nearly four hundred million dollars from grains, dairy products, livestock, roots, hay, eggs and wool, there is not much cause for dissatisfaction."

## German Army Still 400,000 Strong

Paris.—The German army is still 400,000 strong, according to a report received by the committee of foreign affairs from General Nisard, head of the Baltic Mission. In addition, there are 100,000 police forces, officers and non-commissioned officers. Germany also is well supplied with tanks, machine guns and airplanes. In the neutral zone alone, on the right bank of the Rhine, the police force numbers 1,000.

## Seek Railway Franchise

Ottawa.—Application is to be made at the forthcoming session of the federal house for a railway franchise to cover the land between the western end of Schult Lake and from the junction of the Handbury and Thelon rivers to Old Fort Reliance, at the eastern end of Great Slave Lake, in the northwest territories. The usual telegraphic and water-power development privileges are also sought.

## Australia Hopes To Make Paper

Samples of Timber Sent to Canada to Be Tested

Addressing a conference of New South Wales proprietors of country newspapers, the state premier, W. A. Holman, said that the state government, guided by its expert advisers, had been engaged during the past 18 months in a series of experiments to ascertain whether the manufacture of paper could not be carried on in Australia, so as, if possible, to meet the difficulties that had arisen. The experiments showed, he said, so much promise that a quantity of timber of selected type had been sent to Canada to be tested in the laboratories of one of the big mills. The paper made from the Australian timber had not yet been sent back, but cable reports were of a most satisfactory character.

A committee had been appointed by the government, continued the premier, and was arranging for the introduction of a plant into New South Wales sufficient to enter upon the conversion of some New South Wales timber into paper.

## Minor Industries of Burma

Beautiful Objects of Art Are Made by Villagers

Sir Henry Adamson, Lieutenant-Governor of Burma from 1910-15, presiding recently at a meeting of the Indian section of the Society of Arts, at which a paper on "Minor Industries of Burma" was read by A. P. Morris, provincial art officer of Burma, said that the minor industries of Burma were in a backward condition. He hoped in any steps taken for the improvement of the industries of Burma, the village industries would not be neglected, for it was to them they must look for the supplementary industries which were required so much, especially in lower Burma, where the village was a cultivator of rice, which only occupied him part of the year.

It was amazing, he continued, what beautiful objects of art were made by people so backward in village industries, and he thought buyers for these things could be found in London, even if they could not be supplied at first in large quantities. Burmese toys were very quaint and attractive to children, and they had the advantage of being cheap. He believed they could be exported in sufficient quantities to meet very large orders.

The Burman, if left to his own devices, was as conservative as the Indian, but he was always ready to follow a lead, and if anyone gave him a new idea he was very willing to adopt it. Cooperation was thriving and there was a number of co-operative banks managed by cultivators. Burmese were not so soldiers until the great war, but now several signalling, pioneer and sapper work, was told that in machine gun work, signalling, pioneer and sapper work, they showed an aptitude which placed far above the infantry units of India.

## Peace River Oil

Prof. Gwilliam States Close Investigation Should Be Given Gentle

Dip District

The report of Professor J. C. Gwilliam, of Queen's University, on the oil possibilities of certain portions of the province in the Peace River district has been tabled in the B.C. legislature. It states that the portion most worthy of closer investigation is the strip of country lying between the Gentle Dip toward the Great Syncline, and that of the area of disturbed geology adjacent to the mountains.

Hon. T. D. Pattullo, who tabled the report, said it was highly desirable that much more extensive work of a general character should be carried on during the coming year by the government.

The bulkhead sandstones are considered to be the shoreward equivalent of the Peace River sandstones and Loon River shales. It is near the base of the latter that oil is found on the lower Peace River, about 1,100 feet below the river level.

For moving loaded freight cars, a pinch bar has been invented that includes a shoe for gripping the rail, and so formed that as the handle is pressed down a car wheel is pushed instead of being lifted.

# Frazer Valley Honey Producers Organize

## British Market For Western Produce

Outlook Is Very Good for Canadian Livestock

Henry B. Thomson, formerly chairman of the Canada Food Board, who has just spent eight months with the Canadian mission in London, is of the opinion farmers and livestock producers of the Dominion have an excellent chance to establish themselves in special line against all-comers in the British market. "Canadian bacon has unquestionably gained the goodwill of the British people," he says, "and it commands the best prices."

Mr. Thomson says he found a readiness everywhere to take Canadian beef, if steady in supply. The total importation of beef into the United Kingdom is about five billion hundredweight a year. If Canadian exports of this commodity were increased twenty times, it would only just fill the British requirement. And then there are the great continental markets to be considered.

The need of eggs in 1920 would be two and a half billion. The largest export from the Dominion in one year was only forty-five million. So there is plenty of opportunity here. "Everything points to a meat shortage in Europe next year," is the opinion of Mr. Thomson, "and he does not think the Canadian farmer should take the short view of the livestock situation, but advises him to go on breeding his meat animals and grading up for the export trade on a permanent basis. The farmer will be sure of a reward greater than he looked for."

## How It Works Out

Public Sentiment in Favor of Prohibition Strong in U.S.

Speaking at a luncheon given by the Right Hon. Lord James, Willis Abbott, one of the editors of Collier's Weekly, who is in England on a visit from America, described his experiences in investigating the working of prohibition in that country. "I never believed in prohibition," he declared, "until I had an opportunity of studying its effects. The proprietor of a large hotel told me that his dances and midnight suppers were every bit as well attended as in the days when he sold intoxicating drinks. The proprietor added that the profits on the sale of temperance drinks were 140 per cent, which was considerably more than on the sale of alcohol."

In Washington Mr. Abbott told that prohibition was the finest thing that had ever happened in the States. Statistics showed, he went on, that there was no increase in the drug habit in the United States on account of prohibition. "I was convinced," he said, "that prohibition wherever it has been in effect has not merely enhanced the comfort, the thrift, and contentment of the people, but has been endorsed and approved by public sentiment."

## Population of Canada

Almost 9,000,000 Persons in Dominion Now, Latest Census Estimate Says

According to an estimate of the census branch of the department of the interior, commerce based on the increased population between 1901 and 1911 and worked out logarithmically, the population of Canada today numbers 8,855,102 souls. The estimate is believed to be approximately correct.

By provinces the population is estimated as follows: Ontario, 2,820,909; Quebec, 2,226,528; British Columbia, 718,660; Saskatchewan, 754,990; Manitoba, 618,928; Alberta, 587,770; Nova Scotia, 518,761; New Brunswick, 368,760; Prince Edward Island, 93,728; Northwest Territories, 18,481; Yukon, 8,512; total, 8,855,102.

City populations, based on figures prepared for local assessments, include the following: Montreal, 743,964; Toronto, 478,829; Vancouver, 102,550. Winnipeg's population is probably now 200,000.

Beeskeepers of the Fraser Valley of British Columbia have organized with a view to standardizing the marketing of their product, the improvement of their stock, and the more convenient purchasing of appliances. The new organization will not interfere in any way with the British Columbia Honey Producers' Association, which is provincial in its scope; it will confine its efforts to the Fraser Valley for the present, at least. The headquarters will be in New Westminster, and conventions will be held annually during the provincial fair.

According to facts and figures submitted at the organization meeting, over 80 tons of honey were harvested in the Fraser Valley in 1919 (in spite of a somewhat serious epidemic of foul brood), or about one-quarter of what is consumed annually in the province. Much of this honey was marketed at thirty cents a pound, though some sold as cheap as twenty-five cents, and other lots brought as high as thirty-five cents. This year it is intended to fix a standard price for a standard product early in the season.

Up to now no move has been made towards raising any capital, a nominal fee of one dollar a year being charged members to take care of running expenses. Assessments will probably be made later when deemed advisable in connection with the purchase of supplies.—P.W.L.

## Vote on Liquor Imports

Saskatchewan Is the First to Take Action Toward Invoking the Provisions of the Canada Temperance Act

The Saskatchewan government is the first of the provincial governments to take action toward invoking the provisions of the Canada Temperance Act as amended at the last session of the federal house, for the purpose of taking a referendum of the people of this province on the question of prohibiting the importation of intoxicating liquor for use as a beverage. A motion has been introduced in the legislature by the Attorney-General asking the assembly to set in motion the necessary machinery, by making application to the Dominion Government to take such a referendum. The Canada Temperance Act provides that upon the receipt of a petition of this kind the federal government may issue a proclamation for taking the votes of the electors for or against the prohibition. It is expected that it will take some months to secure a referendum of the people of the province can be taken on the subject of importation from without the province; and in the meantime it is the intention of the provincial government to induce legislation to tighten the regulations affecting the sale of liquor in drug stores. Generally speaking, the bill to achieve this end will give effect to the recommendations of the Social Service Council and the temperance reform element, which have had committees studying the problem for some time. The bill will compel druggists to purchase liquor from a certain designated source, and supplies will be sold only to druggists who are able to account for what they have previously purchased from this source. A commission of three will probably be given the administration of the new act.

## Fox Farming Pays

Some Fine Skins From an Alberta Fox Ranch

Dade & Peacock, of Camrose, Alberta, are sending five black and ten silver grey fox skins from their ranch, to be offered at the American sales. This company commenced business at Camrose about seven years ago and had many ups and downs at the beginning. During the past few years, however, things have been pointing their way, and at present their ranch is considered a gold mine.

This shipment will bring in the neighborhood of \$8,000, and is considered a fine lot of skins as ever left Alberta. The company have nothing now but black and silver foxes, of which there are over forty on the ranch, which is one of the largest in the province.





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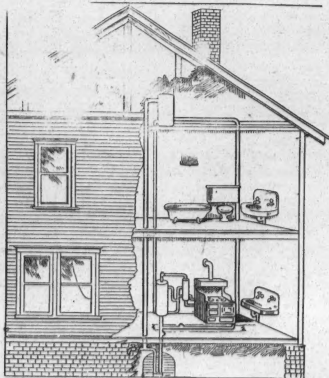
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### Council Meetings

The Council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the Office of the Secretary-Treasurer on the first Monday of each month, commencing with February at the hour of 8:30 o'clock p.m.

By Order of the Village Council.

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W. McKay, Sec.-Treas.

### Estray

Estrays—Impounded in the Rosebud Municipality Pound. One Bay Horse, white face, with docked tail. No brand. One Bay Horse, white face, two white hind feet, docked tail. Branded as cut on left flank. One Black Mare, with star on forehead white hind foot. Branded as cut on left flank. One Black second Colt. One Sorrel Mare, star on forehead with docked tail, 2 years old.

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## Local & General

The dates for our Annual Agricultural Fair have been fixed for the 23rd, and 24th, of June.

Having been instructed by the Crossfield Lodge I. O. O. F. No. 42 that they have leased the Hall above Halliday's store for a period of five years, dating from March 1st 1920, that they are desirous of using the said Hall for Lodge purposes exclusively, will decide at their first meeting in June when the Hall will be closed to the public. This is just an intimation to the public generally, so as to, if possible stir up a little enthusiasm regarding the building of a Public Hall or some other like place for the purpose of Dances, Entertainments etc.

### "DUMBBELLS"

The following were visitors to Calgary the latter part of last week for the purpose of taking in the show which the celebrated "Dummbells" were staging at the Grand Theatre: Mr. and Mrs. A. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Leitch, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. McFarlane, Mr. and Mrs. D. Outkes, Misses A. Halliday and M. Outkes, Messrs J. E. McRory, S. Willis, F. Stevens, E. W. Newland, Wm. Murdoch and John D. The "Dummbells" needed no introduction to some of the above nor to hundreds of Calgary residents for they were the 3rd Divisional Concert Party whilst Overseas, no praise of ours can raise them in the estimation of thousands who have witnessed their powers of amusement. The "Dummbells" will appear in Calgary again in April, it goes without saying they will be well received.

### G. W. V. A. Dance

The Dance which was advertised to take place on Friday February 27th, under the auspices of the local G. W. V. A. having been postponed has now been arranged to take place on Tuesday March 9th, in the I. O. O. F. Hall. Mrs. Trainor's Orchestra of Calgary, which is of high repute will play for dancing. The tickets which have already been sold dated February 27th, will of course be quite in order. Everybody turn out and enjoy a real good time. The Hall has been renovated and now looks spic and span.

Wanted: Listings on Land.—D. P. Hays, Carstairs, Alberta.

Crossfield School District No. 752 The Regular Meeting of the above etc of Board will be held in Outkes and Gordon's Office, at 8 p.m., on the first Monday of each month.

Ratepayers are invited to be present at these meetings. All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the Crossfield Drug Store.

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